



# Lakeview News

October 2018

*Lakeview United Methodist Church*

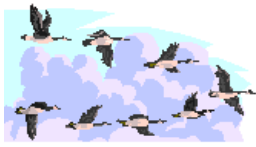
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## ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

The meeting was called to order by Kathi McCormick and opened with a reading and prayer. Those present in addition to Kathi were Pastor Richie, Don Wilson, Wayne Kersey and Marilyn Morton. Motion (Wayne/Don) carried to accept the September minutes with the following correction – Under the Treasurer's Report, the monies to be distributed ½ to Humphreys and ½ to Lakeview was to be from the 5K fees rather than 'The Spring Ministry'.

(The transaction was completed correctly.)

**Treasurer's Report** – The treasurer's report for October was distributed, and motion (Don/Wayne) carried to accept the report. All bills for the month have been paid. Also noted that a new washer will be purchased for the Shelter in town from funds that have already been approved for use by Kathi, etc.

**Finance** – The Finance Committee will meet shortly to approve the budget for next year. Requests have been made for committees to submit their budget needs for next year, we've received our Apportionment figure for next year (which is \$500 less than 2018),

and final details are being submitted for other items to be included.

**Nurture** - Our Thanksgiving Dinner will be held the first Sunday in November, the 4<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm. Everyone will be asked to bring a dish to share, plus canned foods to be shared with the local food pantries.

**Trustees** – A new HVAC has been installed in the church and expectation is that heating/cooling costs for next year will be less.

**PS/PRC** – The committee met and worked on budget numbers for next year. Because of low number of persons attending, the committee will meet again and work out budget numbers.

**Family Ministries** – Nancy Smith is still recovering from surgery and we are continuing to seek persons to handle the Children's Sunday School Class.

**Pastor's Report** - Charge Conference will be 3 pm, November 4th at St Paul's Methodist in Nitro.

Noted that we have been having more persons in attendance at church lately.

## ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL-Cont'd

The Youth Group has started meeting, attendance currently is from four to eight persons.

Excitement is growing for another 5-K Run. (Note: Pastor is especially proud of Don Wilson and Wayne Kersey and the race committee and the volunteers for their effort in putting the event together.)

We have groups meeting at our church and we need to work on making sure they are invited for our worship services also.

We are continuing to encourage younger members to chair committees, and become more involved in activities of the church.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Pastor Richie.

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### NOTES FROM THE UNKNOWN REPORTER

By this time next week, the Annual 40 Family Yard Sale will be nothing but a memory. The multipurpose room will be cleared, the stuff will be gone, money will be raised for outreach purposes and by the grace of God, we will have survived another yard sale. Thank YOU for your participation in this event.

**We welcome Nicole and Taylor Hender to our congregation. They have three beautiful little girls, Caroline, LeeAnn, and Carlee.**

It was a joy to see Juanita Webb back in church after a long absence recuperating from a fall.

Dave and Barbara Koontz have announced their granddaughter's recent engagement. Maria (Belcher) and her Cory Stout are planning a 2020 wedding. We wish the couple much happiness. Many of you will remember that Maria grew up at Lakeview.

We also wish our Dave Williams well as he continues to recover from a recent illness.

This reporter has spoken with Dave and he covets your prayers for recovery. He misses church and is anxious to return to us.

We are also anxious for the return of Nancy Smith, who is recovering from her recent surgeries.

Our hearts go out to Kathi and John McCormick as they recover from the loss of their beloved dog, Petie.

We send sympathy to Bill and especially Fran Casto in the loss of Fran's sister Redeth McCormick. Fran is now the sole remaining member of her family.

Thank you to the Trustees, headed by Dick Thompson, for trouble shooting and getting Wesley White to replace our old air conditioner in the sanctuary. The old one has served us well for many years thanks to our trustee's vigilance.

Thank you to our generous congregation who provided many gently used and new towels and washcloths that were taken to the Twin Cities Shelter. The need was great and YOU filled it. Thank you!

The good news is that Richard Paxton's house has sold and a new family will occupy that property. Many thanks to Dick Thompson for seeing that project through from beginning to end. Of course, he has some help and we thank those folks, too! You know who you are.

Thank you to our Pastor Richie who is helping to lead a Youth Night at the church on Sunday evenings. Check with Pastor Richie to see who is eligible to attend.,

Thank you to the members of our congregation who turned out for the Annual Walk to End Hunger. Richard Paxton and Bud Newbrough walked as a team and Wayne Kersey and our Pastor Richie ran for this event. Lakeview contributed \$500 and our name was featured on the T-shirt. Where were the ladies for this effort?????????

## NOTES FROM THE UNKNOWN REPORTER – Cont'd

Please forgive this reporter if I have forgotten any item that should have been reported. To have an item published in this column in the Lakeviews, just hand a note to Norma Newbrough. Signing off for this month, **The Unknown Reporter**.

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### FINANCE CORNER

Monies needed to make Budget	\$7,958
Income for September	\$7,019

All bills are paid in full.

If you have any questions concerning the budget, please see any member of the Finance Committee.

Thank you. Finance Committee

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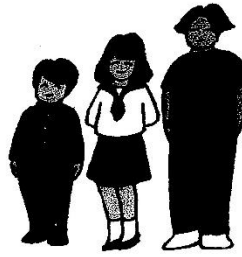
### CHURCH CALENDAR

Linda Thompson has the responsibility of keeping the church calendar for managing the facilities of the church.

**We are trying to schedule rooms and etc. so we do not have two or more persons or groups trying to use the same facility at the same time.** Please call Linda at 304-727-3723 or 304-546-8460 or Email [lindathompson1@gmail.com](mailto:lindathompson1@gmail.com) to reserve a room or any part of the church.

**At the same time let her know if you need heat, air conditioning or kitchen facilities and at what time.**

## Kid Kits



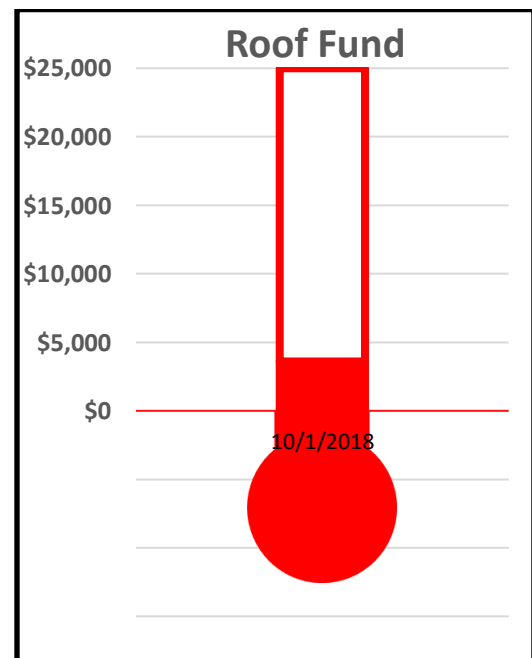
Items to include into your Kid Kits

24 Count Crayons  
Pad of Paper  
Coloring Book  
2 Pencils  
Toothbrush & Toothpaste  
Comb or Brush  
Stuffed Animal  
Children's Book

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### ROOF FUND

The roofs over the multipurpose room, kitchen, choir room and classroom/nursery are approximately 20+ years old and will need to be replaced in the next few years. The cost for replacement is estimated to be around \$25,000. A Roof Fund has been established to accept donations toward replacing these roofs. If you would like to donate, please give it to Jeff or Karen Ekstrom and designate it for the Roof Fund. Thank You.



## October and November Birthdays

<b>MARILYN COLBY</b>	<b>10/2</b>
TIFFANY MCCORMICK	10/5
BARBARA KOONTZ	10/5
KAREN BROWN	10/6
MASON EKSTROM	10/6
AMELIA ROWE	10/8
KAREN BOWYER	10/14
JACOB SAYRE	10/14
KATHI MCCORMICK	10/20
RICHIE MCNIEL	10/21
TIEGAN DAVIS	10/24
JENNIFER PARSONS	10/24
LISA SAYRE	10/25
DAVE ASHLEY	10/27
DOT HAMON	10/29
DAVE KOONTZ	10/29
ALLEN PARSONS	10/30
<b>RYLEE MCNIEL</b>	<b>11/10</b>
DYLAN BACCUS	11/11
BOB CARPENTER	11/13
JOHN MCCORMICK	11/15
SIS BAILEY	11/17
TRACIE ATKINSON	11/21
BRAD DAVIS	11/29

## October and November Anniversaries

<b>KNAPP</b>	<b>10/1</b>
SCHOTT	10/10
PENNINGTON	10/16
SAYRE	10/23
BOWYER	10/25
<b>IDDINGS</b>	<b>11/11</b>

If your birthday or anniversary is missing, please send an email to: [Donaldp.wilson@yahoo.com](mailto:Donaldp.wilson@yahoo.com) and I will add you to the list.



*James Rose and Dick Thompson hard at work in the kitchen*

## YARD SALE

Lakeview United Methodist held its annual yard sale on Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>. Thanks to everyone for all of the merchandise that was provided for sale. Thanks to all of the volunteers who sorted, priced, arranged, cooked, baked, cleaned, carried, etc. As a result of all your efforts, Lakeview raised approximately \$2750 and provided many useful items at bargain basement prices to the many yard sale patrons.